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## Your Generosity Will Help the Goodfellows Make the Holidays Merry and Bright



Most of us view the holidays as a season of joy. For some, however, it's not such a happy time. For these people, there are no wrapped gifts, no twinkling Christmas tree, and no holiday feast, but there *are* many sad faces – and, unfortunately, the majority of those faces belong to children. For these people, Christmas is just another cold, gray, winter day.

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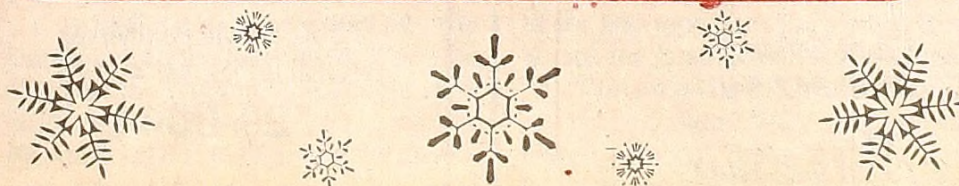
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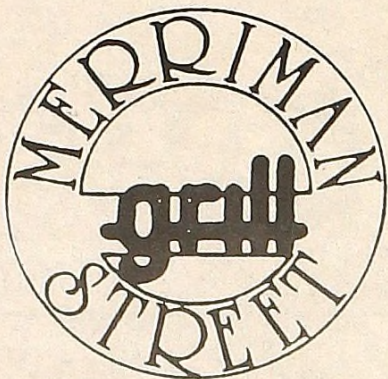
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Have a happy holiday – and remember: "No Child Without a Christmas."

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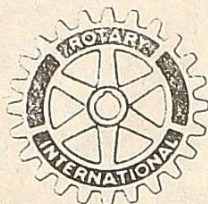




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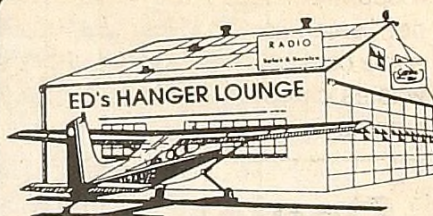
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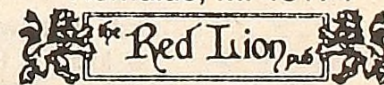


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## Timely Tidbits . . .

### Santa Claus Is Coming To Town

Once again, the Jolly Old Elf will make his first official appearance in Romulus at the City's annual Tree-lighting Ceremony, to be held on Friday, December 3. Please see the Community Calendar on page 9 for details on this and other holiday events.

### Well Case Postponed

The trial date for the City of Romulus suit against Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc. – which recently constructed a hazardous deep-injection well in Romulus, with plans to begin operation in the spring of 1994 – has been postponed until January 26, 1994.

In the meantime, a budget-amendment proposal, which would take \$100,000 from other departmental funds to cover initial legal costs incurred, was passed by the Romulus City Council by a 4-1 vote. (Councilmen Mary Ann Banks and Russell Lambert were not in attendance; Councilman "Pete" Bergeron cast the negative vote.)

### Recount Yields Tie; Prybyla Wins Draw

When the November 2 general election found City Council candidate Mary (Hatten) Collins losing the seventh Council seat to Mike Prybyla by one slim vote, Collins called for a recount, which was conducted at Romulus City Hall on Tuesday, November 23. When the recount yielded a tie for last place, the Council seat was filled by lot, in accordance with State law, with Prybyla having "the luck of the draw." He was sworn into office immediately following the recount.

### Dial 8-1-0

Because good old Ma Bell was running out of phone numbers in the (313) area code, a new area code – taken from the northern section of the (313) area code – has been created. On December 1, 1993, the new (810) area code became recognized Nationally and a transition period began. During the transition, customers will be able to reach a telephone number in the (810) area code by dialing either (313) or (810). Starting on August 10, 1994, the new area code becomes official, and callers will need to dial the (810) area code. □

## Pitoniak Submits Bill Request To Prohibit Commercial Hazardous Waste Injection Wells

State Representative Gregory E. Pitoniak (D-Taylor) recently announced that he has submitted a bill request which would prohibit commercial hazardous-waste injection wells in Michigan.

Concerns on this subject arose when Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc. (EDS), received a permit for the construction and operation of a Class I injection well from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR). The 4,500-foot injection well would be used to dispose liquid industrial waste from multiple sources.

The commercial injection well, which is located in the City of Romulus, would be the first of its kind in Michigan. At this time, it's been approved by the EPA and the DNR for the disposal of five specific types of nonhazardous wastes. In order to dispose of additional wastes, hazardous or nonhazardous, EDS would need further approval from the EPA and DNR.

"I am pleased that plans for this injection well have been dealt with in a responsible and carefully planned manner," said Pitoniak. "However, I do have some concerns because liquid industrial wastes can pose many problems for a community."

Pitoniak discussed the fact that the wastes would be transported by vehicles from industrial factories to the injection well.

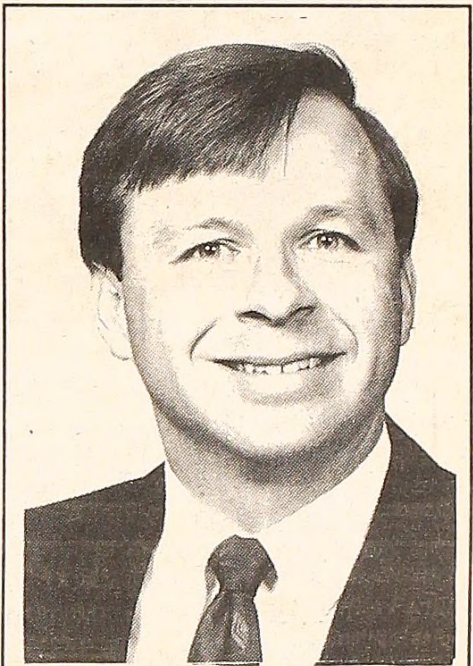
"Although the truck route which has been developed for these vehicles does not pass through any residential or school zones," he said, "the danger of leaking is always prevalent, particularly in case of an accident."

He feels that another problem is the fact that both the EPA and the DNR have acknowledged that their ability to properly monitor these wastes might be hindered by a lack of staff.

"We are seeing a reduction in the staff at almost every government agency in the State," said Pitoniak. "Unfortunately, it hurts the regulation of programs such as this injection well, making it difficult to assure Romulus residents of their safety," he added.

Finally, he said, questions have been raised about the need for a commercial injection well in Michigan.

"Industry in our state has managed fine without one thus far," said Pitoniak. "Since there are other ways of handling liquid wastes, the burden is on industry to prove the necessity of initiating this major step in waste removal."

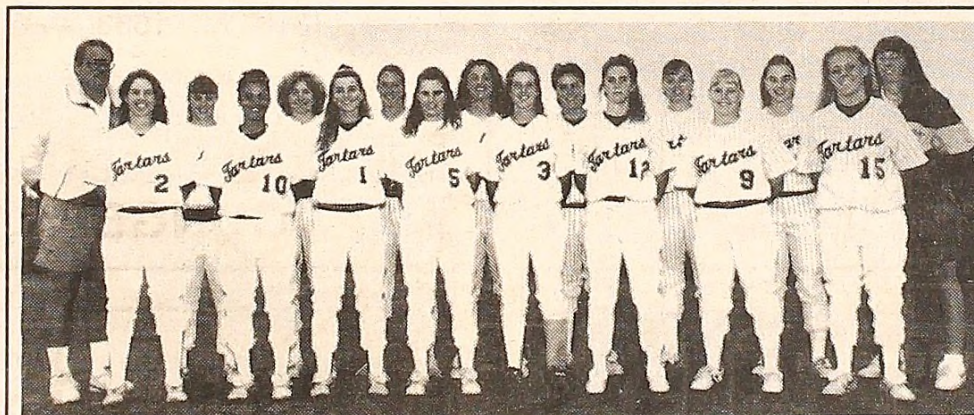


Representative Gregory Pitoniak

Pitoniak said that he is dedicated to researching this issue fully to achieve a solution.

"The residents of Romulus and the entire State deserve to know all the details of such a serious topic. Part of my job is to provide this information and distribute all findings to the public." □

## Daniel, WSU Softball Team To Seek Donations To Finance Australia Trip To Represent U.S.



Jennifer Daniel (sixth from left) will travel with her teammates to "The Land Down Under" in July 1994.

Wayne State University's softball team is one of the top Division II programs in the Country. In the past 12 years, the Tartars have never failed to rank in the Top 20, and only twice have they missed being in the Top 10.

In 1993, Romulus resident Jennifer Daniel helped the team finish fifth in the National Tournament. The Tartars were defeated in their bid for the top spot by Florida Southern, the Tournament's eventual champions.

As a result of its success, the Wayne State softball team has been offered an educational chance of a lifetime. In late July, 1994, the Tartars will board a plane to New Zealand, Australia, and Hawaii, and there they will display their softball talent and represent the United States versus the Australian national teams.

"We are going to have our work cut out for us," stated WSU softball coach Gary Bryce, "as these teams are very talented. We play 10 games in 13 days,

plus our travel – and, in this part of the world, women's softball is a major sport. This is a great opportunity for our program and this excellent group of young ladies."

To offset some of the cost for this opportunity, many fund-raisers have been planned. One of these will be a can drive in each team member's hometown.

"We will be canvassing Romulus' neighborhoods on Sunday, December 12, to collect returnable cans from those who would like to donate," said Daniel, who graduated from Romulus High School in 1991. "We are all working very hard to reduce the cost of this trip, and will truly appreciate any donations that the people of Romulus will make."

Area businesses are picking up the majority of the players' share of this trip, but there are still other costs which these young ladies will have to cover.

The Double Bogie Lounge on Middle Belt Road is accepting returnable cans and bottles on the team's behalf, and has planned a fund-raiser for January. Anyone interested in contributing to this tax-deductible fund can call 722-5560 for more information. □



# The Lighter Slice

## Losing Elvis & Other Sad Tales



By Tom Shamanski

Recently, when my dog Elvis ran away, I was *totally* crushed.

Now, to some, this may seem as trivial as a Pulitzer Prize for penmanship—but, when you live alone, your priorities tend to get jumbled a bit. Thankfully, though, I haven't yet reached the telltale point of emblazoning my car with a bumper sticker that says, "I'd rather be doing laundry."

Anyway, after losing Elvis, I was extremely sad and confused. Elvis was a large collie who looked good and knew it, and had all the female mutts on the block just howling to be with him... and, mostly, they were. In other words, I thought that he had a pretty darn good life with me.

Normally, I'm a reasonable person, so when I later pondered my rather extreme reaction to Elvis' running off, I felt a strong need to reevaluate my life's priorities. After all, a dog is, indeed, just a dog.

Seeking help, I found an animal psychiatrist and made an appointment.

Soon, I was ringing an old cow bell at the front door of a Dr. Beegal's house. In a moment, Buster—who looked remarkably like a poodle I had back when I was married to Rita Coolidge—let me in and, after putting an old, tattered leash around my neck, led me to Beegal's office.

Upon entering, I heeled. The doctor was looking away, his back to me. As he slowly turned around, I thought I saw a tail rustling beneath his lab coat, but couldn't be sure.

"Bark! Bark!" he cried, before catching himself. Pausing and dabbing his wet nose, he regained his composure and we began our session. At first, I could hardly hear him; the doctor was hoarse. However, by tilting my head just so, and correctly aiming my ear, I was finally able to hear him.

"Where's your pet?" he asked. I explained the situation and told him of my need to find a major life-purpose that was a notch above owning a dog.

"I don't think I can help you," he said. "Actually, I don't talk to people; only to the animals involved."

Well, this seemed reasonable because, as Elmer Fudd once put it, "One must get to the root of a paw-bwem before a solution can be found." Suddenly, I had an idea.

"Doc, what if I get down on my hands and knees, and pretend I'm a manic-depressive dog... currently manic, of course. Could you help me then?"

"Dachshund good idea!" he cried. So, that's what we did.

In all, it took several sessions—but, cost-wise, it wasn't bad, as Beegal seemed content with getting a few large Milk Bones for each visit.

We discussed various careers that I might choose in order to "find myself," as well as finding a new purpose in life once I found myself and knew exactly where I was at and where I wanted to be going and once I was there which of the various careers we had discussed I might choose. Unbelievably, through all that muddle, we finally dug up the career that would suit me best.

Now, I don't mean to brag, or anything, but I've become a Special Projects Person for the United States Army, and I am now the top dog-face in charge of making dog tags.

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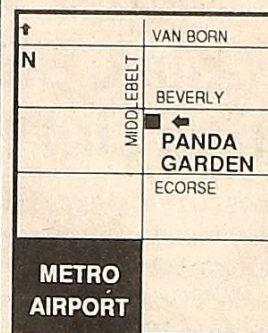
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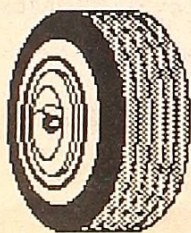
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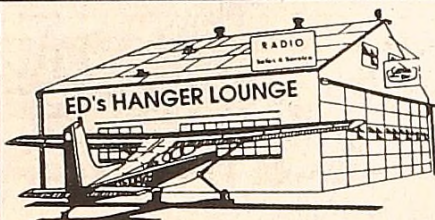
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### Gracious Collins Sends Best Wishes To Prybyla

Yesterday (Tuesday, November 23, 1993), a page or two was added to the political history books in the recount of votes for the seven City Council seats here in Romulus. After all the machine votes were recounted (which proved to be the most accurate) and the absentee ballots were tallied (a slow, tedious process, to say the least), it was determined that there was a tie for seventh place. Then, according to law, two pieces of paper – one marked "elected" and another marked "not elected" – were placed in a box, and the two candidates each drew one of the slips.

The person who unfolded the "elected" slip was congratulated and immediately sworn into office. . . . Congratulations, Mike Prybyla. The person who unfolded the "not elected" slip – ME – came away from a most tense but exciting day realizing that "the system" works the very best way it can, given the circumstances, and that there are everyday folk who have a job and just do it because they are dedicated and caring. My thanks again to Ed Carrie and his staff from Wayne County and to the members of the County Board of Canvassers.

My best to Mike Prybyla – he has his work cut out for him. The next two years won't be easy for him, and I can only hope that Mike will approach the tasks

and responsibilities of a councilman with the same sincere concern that he demonstrated during this whole recount experience. Thank you, Mike, and GOOD LUCK!

As for me . . . well, I go home and, for a short time, just be Mary Collins – wife (to a pretty nice guy), mom (to a great bunch of kids), and grandma (to the two most wonderful little people I know: Kady and Nathan!).

P.S.: Happily, I report, to so many of you who really care, that politics or political pressures played NO PART in this process – THANK GOD!

Mary Collins

### Senior Expresses Thanks for Thanksgiving Dinner

On Tuesday, November 23, Mayor Beverly McAnally and City Treasurer James Napiorkowski joined the residents of the Romulus Tower for a Thanksgiving dinner given by our manager, Audry Moomaw; her son, Jeff; and our staff, Mary, Alicia, Joe, Bryan, and John.

Everything was so very lovely. We were seated and served by Romulus High School students, who were courteous, kind, and helpful. I want Romulus High School to be proud of that group of young people. Ladies from Reverend Landis' Community United Methodist Church also helped make the dinner a beautiful occasion.

Thank you to Mayor McAnally and Mr. Napiorkowski for attending; and thanks, too, to the many people who cared enough to give us such a wonderful treat. (You're the best, Audry; you get things done beautifully.) You all made my Thanksgiving something special.

God Bless each and every one of you. You'll always be in my prayers.

Love and hugs,

Johanna Laskey □

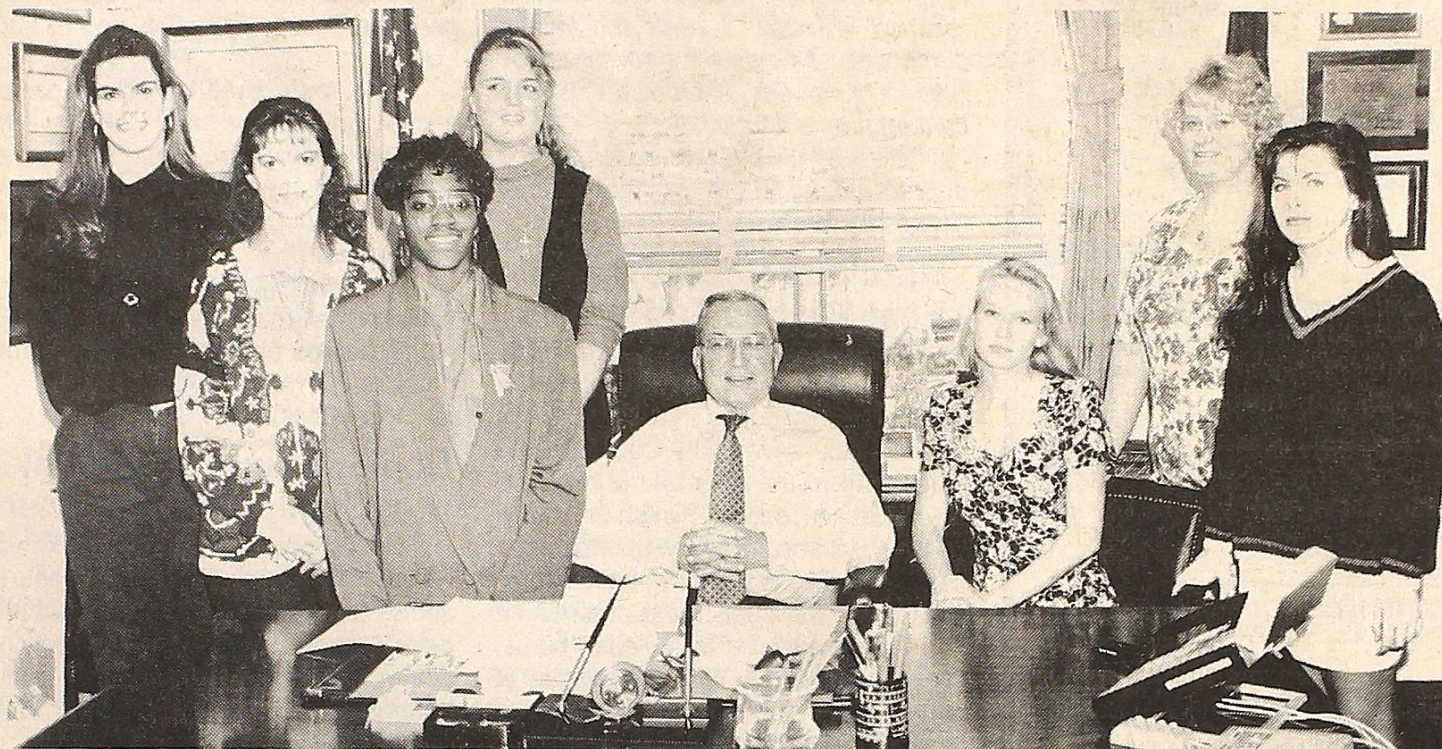


Barbara Ross (left) made 10 apple pies for the genuine, old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner hosted by Tower manager Audry Moomaw (right). (Photo: Irene Hollday)



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## Ford Helps Romulus High School Students Investigate Implications of NAFTA



Congressman William D. Ford (D-Ypsilanti) is interviewed by Romulus High School students (from left) Stephanie Vit, Lisa Decker, Roggett Peterson, Erin Reinhackel, Nicole Dyer, Kim Lincoln, and Jenny Wright as part of a project exploring the implications of the emerging global economy. The students, led by teacher Dennis Stoh, were in Washington, D.C. on October 28 to interview Ford, Senator Carl Levin, and other government officials on the North American Free Trade Agreement. (Ford was a leading NAFTA opponent.) Other Romulus students will travel to a Mexican assembly plant later in the year to examine conditions in the Maquiladora zone. The project will conclude with a symposium for 30 school districts, production of a video documentary, and a C-SPAN show on May 1, 1994.

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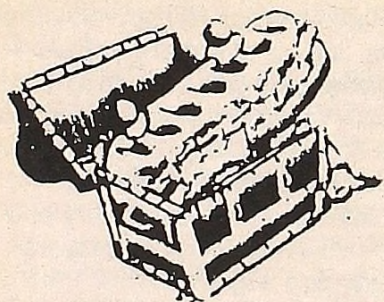
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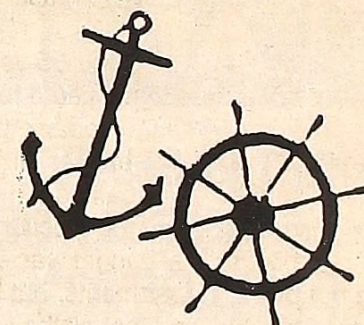
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# Romulus Profile: Beverly McAnally

By Tom Shamanski

As a reporter for *The Detroit News* from 1965 to 1973, Beverly McAnally was assigned to cover all of western Wayne County – although, she admits with a smile, she managed to concentrate a good deal on almost anything that pertained to Romulus and its people.

In a recent interview, the 66-year-old Missouri native explained how her experience as a reporter prompted her to enter local politics and, eventually, become Mayor of Romulus.

"At the time," said McAnally, "I had three children in Romulus schools, and was active in a lot of school and civic programs. As a reporter, I saw several things about Romulus that I thought could be better. So, in 1973, I ran for City Council."

McAnally won a Council seat in her first political outing – but it wasn't easy. As an independent candidate in that year's primary election, she finished "dead last." However, since she came from "a long line of Missouri Democrats," McAnally ran under the Democratic banner in the general election, and wound up as the top vote-getter.

After serving three terms on City Council, McAnally switched her focus and, in 1979, she ran for City Treasurer. She won.

"For some time," said the 35-year Romulus resident, "I had noticed a tendency on the part of the City to raise the anticipated tax figure whenever more money was needed. I was baffled by this concept. Also, after I won the election, I discovered that the City budget was estimated not by the departments, but by the finance officials, and that all the idle money was in checking accounts, earning no interest."

McAnally soon transferred the City money into investment accounts, thereby making the Romulus Treasury Department a model for other local governments throughout the State. From this move, she said, the City actually began to make money "hand over fist."

In 1983, McAnally was elected Mayor of the City of Romulus. The issue of the City's relationship with Detroit Metropolitan Airport was an integral part of her campaign.

"When running for Mayor," McAnally said, "I stated my belief that the Airport was here and was going to stay, so we might as well benefit from it. After all, it was an international airport; why shouldn't we use its proximity as a catalyst to get things done?"

"Another thing about the Airport," she continued, "was that it supported a lot of tax-paying businesses and industry which, in turn, reduced the tax burden of our residents."

Presently, McAnally continues to work closely with the Airport – but not, she stressed, to accommodate it. If she

feels that a proposed Airport activity will be detrimental to the City, she strongly resists the proposal. McAnally is, as she put it, "always prepared to fight."

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When asked to list some mayoral achievements of which she is most proud, McAnally began, "I'm happy that we've paved 40 miles of road for our people. I also feel good about holding the line on taxes and still giving quality service to our residents."

"Additionally," she noted, "I'm glad that our financial position has improved a thousandfold. We've recently received awards for our budget and annual fiscal report from two separate municipal finance associations."

McAnally is also pleased with the Wick/Wickham project, from which, she stated, additional tax revenue will be realized. Similarly, McAnally will be "extremely proud" when the Metro World Complex is completed.

"The Complex," she said, "will provide tax revenue and new jobs – and, since the facility will be self-contained and sequestered from the City and its activities, it will not be a hindrance to us at all."

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Of course, after spending more than 10 years in the Romulus chief executive's chair, McAnally is sure to have experienced a number of disappointments, as well. She was asked to comment.

"For me," she said, "it's disappointing when people don't understand a particular issue, or when they follow a 'false leader' who distorts and misleads ... and this happens. Thankfully, sooner or later, the people will figure things out. The public is generally quite perceptive and, in the long run, will make good judgments."

McAnally is additionally dismayed by the fact that the City hasn't generated as much money as she had wished in order to pave even more roads. Also, she said, she is disappointed about the animosity that exists between the City and the Romulus Community Schools. The two entities should, she believes, work together to serve Romulus youth to the best of their combined abilities.

Then, with a wry grin, she added, "Really, though, it's the little stuff that drives you crazy!"

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Speaking to future goals, McAnally – after stating that she tries not to set personal limits – said, "Now, my job is here, and I try to concentrate only on that. I don't think you should focus your energy on too many different objectives."

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In discussing the complexities involved in administering a city, McAnally is quick to acknowledge the invaluable service of her staff. In particular, she spoke glowingly of Betsey Krampitz, her



administrative assistant, and Hafeeza Khalifa, her personal secretary.

"Betsey and Hafeeza are outstanding," said McAnally. "They're hard workers who care about their jobs, the people, and the City."

With regard to the City's departmental leaders, McAnally said, "I feel that they all have a 'can do' attitude about their work. I have a lot of confidence in them, and I'm not an easy boss. ... I expect a lot."

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After graduating from a Kansas City high school, McAnally spent three years at the University of Kansas City and Park College. At that point, she was awarded a three-year scholarship from the Kansas City Art Institute.

"At the Art Institute," she said, "we covered all aspects of art. We studied everything from water-color painting and sculpture to fashion and graphics. Also, while I was at the Institute, I continued to take courses at the University (of Kansas City)."

McAnally noted that, since her political beginnings, she has also attended numerous professional seminars and workshops.

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McAnally's mother, 93-year-old Flo-

rence Atchison, lives in an apartment which McAnally had built adjacent to her own home. Florence enjoys visiting her friends, watching the birds and squirrels in the summer months, and watching her "shows."

McAnally has three living children. Andrea, who lives in Trabuco, California, works as a legal secretary. Also residing in Trabuco is Patrice, who works in the home taking care of her and husband Steven's six-year-old son, Zachary Cole Boyer. Son Daniel Wayne makes his home in Romulus and works for an auto-related firm that frequently contracts with Ford Motor Company's Truck Division. His wife Marji works in Taylor, teaching at that community's St. John Lutheran School.

When not busy directing the affairs of City government, McAnally enjoys painting, and is a self-described "avid reader." What she reads, she said, depends upon her mood, although she gets "a kick" out of "all that Stephen King stuff."

Occasionally, McAnally considers writing a book about Romulus. Its theme, she said, would be "the town that could, would, and is going to – against all odds."

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## TO THE CITIZENS OF ROMULUS FROM A FAMILY PROUD OF ITS SERVICE TO ITS COMMUNITY AND COUNTY

For 65 years, I have lived in my present home in Romulus and, along with my wife Mary Ann, have raised seven children. Now we are the proud grandparents of 11 grandchildren. During my life, I have always done what I thought was in the best interest of my country, my community, and my family.

Approximately three years ago, I was approached by representatives of Environmental Disposal Systems and received an offer to buy some of my land north of Northline Road and west of Wahrman Road. EDS said that they wanted to build a deep injection well to dispose of hazardous and nonhazardous liquid waste almost a mile below the surface of the ground. As an independent businessman, I was impressed by their guts to take such a large risk. At first, I was not sure whether their idea was a good one, but they showed me a lot of scientific information about safety and the environment, which I took the time to read and understand. After talking it over with my family, I believed that the EDS people were sincere, and I accepted their offer.

In December 1990, EDS sent me a copy of the geological report, prepared for them by the University of Michigan, which said that the well would be safe. For the next two and a half years, EDS kept in touch with Romulus city officials to keep them informed of the project and their work with the Department of Natural Resources and the Environmental Protection Agency to get permits.

Back in June, EDS said that they had received their permits from the DNR and EPA, and were ready to drill their well. I told all of my neighbors that the big drilling rig would be arriving this summer, and everybody was excited to see it.

On July 13, EDS held an informational dinner for City officials to tell them that the drilling rig was coming on July 20, and to answer their questions.

The rig started drilling on July 20 and finished the well a month later, on August 19. It was pretty noisy during that month, and also busy from all the heavy construction trucks coming and going. During this whole time, *nobody* complained about the well.

On September 27, just six weeks before our City election, there was a lot of noise from people who were involved in the election. This group included a person who was running for City Council and a person who lives one-half mile from the well site. These people claim that they were never told about the well, even though the rig had a 120'-high derrick with aircraft warning lights and huge, unmuffled turbo-charged diesel engines which ran 24 hours a day for a solid month.

While they were drilling the well, the EDS people had several barbecues at the well site, which gave us an opportunity to learn about the well.

During the past three years, I have gotten to know the EDS people, and I believe that they are sincere and wish to really help clean up the environment the best way they know how. I also believe it is about time that somebody actually did something about cleaning up our environment, and not just blowing a lot of hot air talking about it. There are areas in our town right now that have industrial waste lying open on the ground. EDS will help us clean this up. I remember when there were fish and lots of other wildlife in Romulus. Now the only thing in our ditches and streams is pollution.

During the past two months, I and members of my family have been slandered and insulted by members of the anti-well group. If this group would take more time to study the benefits of this project, we would all be better off. It is my right to sell my property when I believe that it will benefit my community. Why would I, as an older member of a large family who has lived more than 65 years in this community, sell my property if I thought that it would damage the health and welfare of my children or my grandchildren? Lies and insults must stop, and a committee should be formed by the City to study the real facts available to them and the benefits which this project can provide.

We intend to continue to live here in Romulus, and my family is owed the respect of this community for our commitment to this community. My family has served this community in elected, appointed, and volunteer positions for many years, and we will continue to do that. We are one of the proudest families in Romulus for our commitment and service to our community.

Respectfully,  
John R. Ryznar

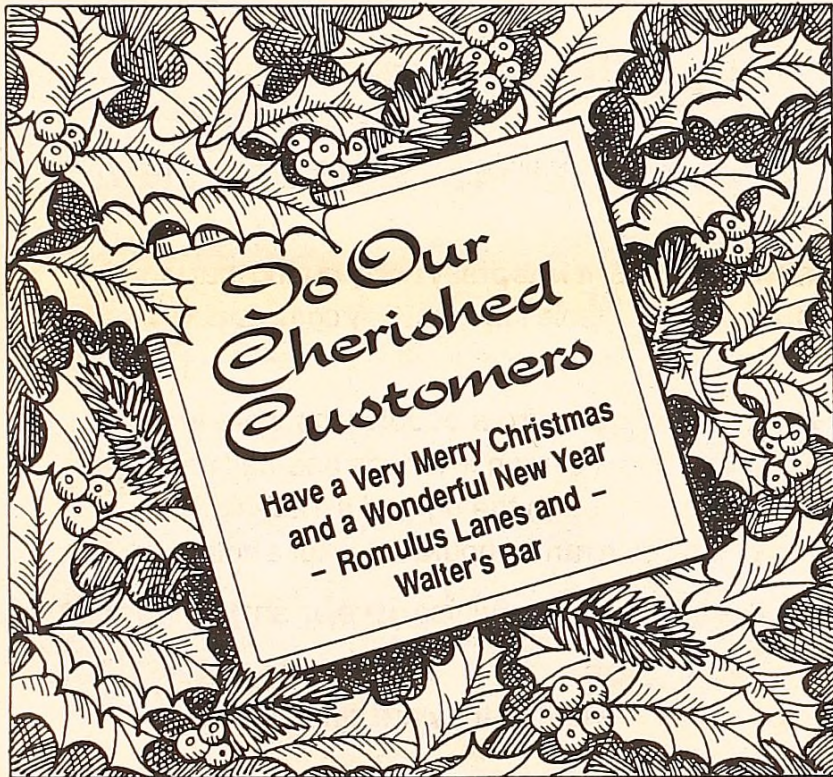


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## John Thiede Kicks Off Professional Soccer Career

By Lynn Carver

The Toledo Twisters soccer team of the United States Interregional Soccer League (USISL) now counts Romulus native John Thiede among its professional members. After graduating from Romulus High School, Thiede — now 28 — picked up his associate's degree in criminal justice from Allendale, Michigan's Grand Valley State in 1985. He also picked up on his ability to play soccer.

When Thiede was asked, in a recent interview, to detail his soccer career to date, he replied, "When I was at Romulus High School, I played baseball at school and — since there wasn't a soccer program — I played 'backyard' soccer. That was just a bunch of us getting together and playing soccer whenever we had a chance. It was when I was attending Grand Valley State that I received my first taste of organized play in soccer."

Thiede went on to note that the USISL is an indoor league that fields teams in Detroit, Richmond, Baltimore, and Milwaukee, as well as in Toledo. With a game against the Detroit Wheels already under the Twisters' belt, Thiede said that his team will meet the Milwaukee Rampage on December 3; the Richmond Kickers on December 10; and the Baltimore Bays on December 17.

From December 1993 to February 1994, the Twisters will once again face each of the team's League opponents, plus travel to Oklahoma to play teams in Tulsa and Oklahoma City.

The Twisters will play their home games at Canton's Soccer Dome — a facility located on Michigan Avenue, two miles west of I-275. All games begin at 7:30 p.m. and carry a \$4 admission charge. For children 13 years old and under, the cost is \$2.

With soccer's World Cup coming to Pontiac's Silverdome in 1994, Thiede feels that more people are becoming excited about soccer.

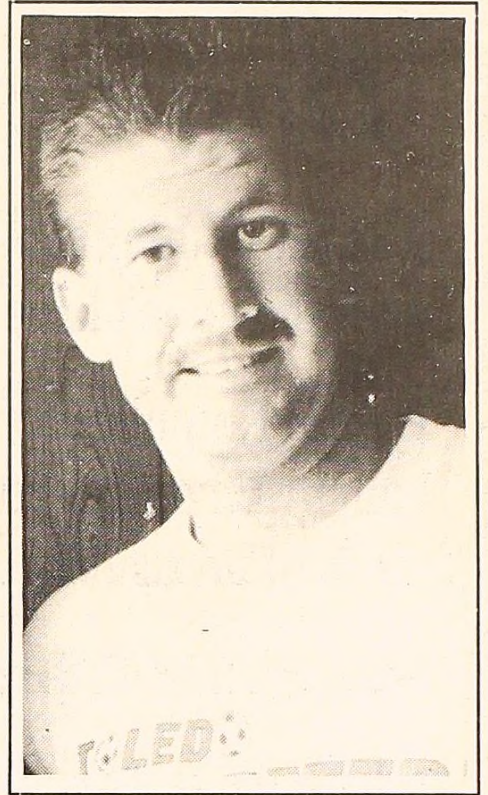
"Indoor soccer is great," he said, "and a lot of people like it. It's like indoor football with more hard hitting and more scoring."

Standing tall at 5'11" and weighing in at about 180 lbs., Thiede plays "defender" for the Twisters.

"Mainly," said Thiede, "defenders are there to prevent the opposition from scoring. We're kind of a 'last line of defense' in front of our goalkeeper."

"But, even so," he continued, "we sometimes bring the ball down offensively — kind of like what Bobby Orr used to do for the Chicago Black Hawks (in professional hockey)."

When not playing soccer, Thiede teaches people who wish to become emergency medical technicians. He conducts the six-month course out of Wyandotte's Adult Education Program. Also, for the past eight years, Thiede has been a volunteer firefighter for the Romulus Fire Department.



"At times," he grinned, "between soccer and firefighting, it's hard to tell which I like best."

Thiede then stated that, when his playing days are behind him, he may continue to teach, possibly on a full-time basis. Additionally, he plans to remain with the Romulus Fire Department.

Thiede's parents, Jim and Ruth, are retired and live in Florida. His 37-year-old brother, Jim Jr., resides in Romulus and works in the construction field. Sister Patti works for the City of Whitecloud, a community located near Grand Rapids; she and husband R.D. have two sons — nine-year-old Cory and five-year-old J.D. The last sibling, Dave, is a 35-year-old mechanic for Romulus' Environ Corporation, a firm located on Northline Road. Dave and wife Sue live in Romulus and have two young sons — Matt, age seven, and Brian, who's four years old.

With a huge grin, Thiede noted that Matt will be the Twisters' equipment boy, dishing out towels and water for the players.

As time ran out, Thiede was asked why he became a professional soccer player.

"I like soccer because it's fast-paced and exciting, and because it's professional. Also, I enjoy the team. We've got a lot of skilled and really good players — players who also go out of their way to conduct 'youth camps' for kids who want to learn how to play soccer better."

The Toledo Twisters soccer team is sponsored by Taylor's Ultimate Sports Bar, the Ramada Inn, and North Macomb County Liquidators. Other sponsors include Wayne's Jack's Sport Center, Silver Sounds in Canton, Southfield's Community Emergency Medical Services, and Ultimate Photo in Canton Township.

For more information on the Twisters, please call (313) 721-2107. □



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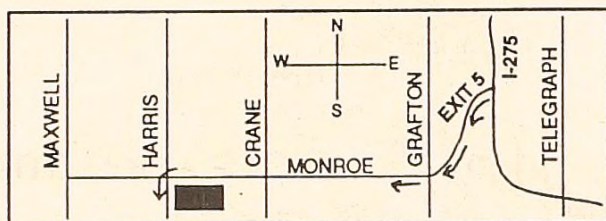
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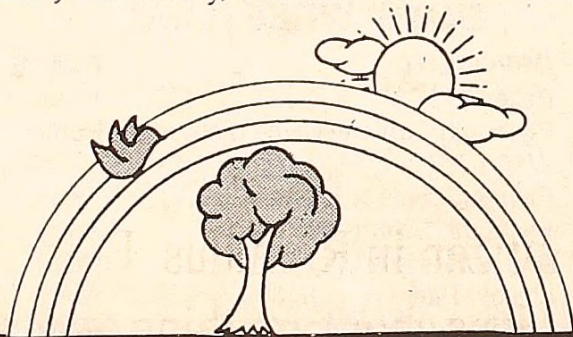
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- **Tree-lighting Ceremony** – Caroling and a tree-lighting ceremony will herald the arrival of Santa Claus to the City of Romulus on Friday, December 3. Festivities begin at Romulus Historic Park (corner of Bibbins and Hunt, near the Post Office) at 6:30 p.m. Immediately following Santa's arrival, he will be available to hear children's wishes at Wick Elementary School. Refreshments will be served.
- **Letters to Santa** – Again this year, the Romulus Civic League – a community block organization – will sponsor "Letters to Santa." Children who write to Santa and drop their letter at the special mailbox located at City Hall (11111 Wayne Road at Goddard) will receive a letter in return. Children's letters must contain a return address.
- **Holiday Decoration Contest** – The City of Romulus Beautification Committee is sponsoring a contest for homes decorated for the Christmas season. Prizes (first prize – \$50; second prize – \$25; third prize – \$10) will be awarded to the three best homes. Judging will be conducted December 6–10 between 6 and 9 p.m. All entries – which should include the name of the owner, the home's address, major cross streets, and a telephone number, if possible – must be received on or before 12 p.m. on Monday, December 6, 1993. Mail entries to: Julie A. Wojtylko, Chairperson, City of Romulus Beautification Committee, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174, or call 942-7537.
- **Cookie Walk** – Stock up on homemade cookies for the holidays by attending the First United Methodist Church of Wayne's Cookie Walk, slated for Saturday, December 11, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come to the sale, which will be held at the Church (Three Town Square, across from the Wayne Post Office).
- **Goodfellows Applications Now Being Accepted** – With the holiday season almost upon us, the Romulus Goodfellows have begun accepting applications for families who need help. (Applications are available at Romulus City Hall, Romulus Fire Station #4, and the Romulus Police Department.) In the past, the Goodfellows have had great success in our area, and they are hoping to do even better this year. Anyone wishing to donate either new, unwrapped toys or purchased canned/boxed food may do so by dropping it off at Station #4 during regular business hours (8 a.m. to 5 p.m.). Please keep in mind that, although all donations are appreciated, the Goodfellows cannot accept preopened, outdated, or unlabeled goods. For more information, please call the Romulus Fire Department (941-8585).
- **Romulus Firefighters New Year's Eve Party** – Enjoy dinner, entertainment provided by Jon Ray of WHND-WCSX Radio, beer, set-ups, a champagne toast, and door prizes at the Romulus Firefighters Annual New Year's Eve Party, to be held on Friday, December 31, at the Romulus Progressive Club. Tickets for the event, which begins at 7 p.m., are \$50 couple/\$30 single, and are available by calling Jim Poet of the Fire Department at 941-8585.
- **Romulus Senior-citizen New Year's Eve Party** – Tickets (\$3 each) for the annual Seniors New Year's Eve Party – to be held at the Clarion Hotel on Tuesday, December 28, beginning at 4:30 p.m. – will go on sale at the Romulus Senior Center (36515 Bibbins, downtown Romulus) at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, December 6. Call the Center (942-6852) for more information.
- **Brighton Beach Memoirs Auditions** – The Huron Civic Theatre group will hold auditions for its production of Neil Simon's *Brighton Beach Memoirs* from 7 to 10 p.m. on Monday, December 13, and Tuesday, December 14, at the Huron Civic Auditorium (32044 Huron River Drive, New Boston – just 10 minutes south of Metro Airport, across from Michigan Memorial Park). Roles are available for three adults (each approximately 40 years old) and four teenagers. Production dates are February 18, 19, 20, 26, and 27, 1994. For more information, please call 782-5380.
- **Youth Workshop** – Huron Civic Theatre will host ACT UP! – a theatre art workshop for children ages seven to 17. The program will be a 16-session series to be held Saturday afternoons from 1 to 5 p.m. beginning January 8, 1994. The program will conclude with an original production staged by ACT UP! students (working title: "Tomfoolery Follies"), scheduled for May 14 and 15, 1994. An informational meeting will give parents and prospective students an opportunity to meet ACT UP! instructors Dawn Daniels and Belinda Sidebottom, and hear more in-depth information about the program – but, if you have a burning question that just won't wait until the December 4 meeting, contact Dawn (654-0167) or Belinda (675-6183).

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## ROMULUS MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS SCHEDULES, 1993-1994

### BOYS' BASKETBALL

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Tu	Dec. 7	Ypsilanti Lincoln (two games)	Away	4:00 p.m.
Th	Dec. 16	Ypsilanti Lincoln (two games)	Home	4:00 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 4	Robichaud	Away	3:30 p.m.
Th	Jan. 6	Willow Run	Away	4:00 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 11	Ypsilanti West	Home	3:30 p.m.
Th	Jan. 13	Ypsilanti East	Home	3:30 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 18	River Rouge	Away	4:00 p.m.
Th	Jan. 20	Ypsilanti West	Away	3:30 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 25	Willow Run	Home	4:00 p.m.
Th	Jan. 27	Ypsilanti East	Away	3:30 p.m.
Tu	Feb. 1	Robichaud	Home	3:30 p.m.

### GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
W	Feb. 2	Willow Run	Home	4:00 p.m.
M	Feb. 7	Ypsilanti East	Away	3:45 p.m.
Tu	Feb. 8	Dexter	Away	4:00 p.m.
W	Feb. 9	River Rouge	Home	4:00 p.m.
M	Feb. 14	Ypsilanti East	Home	3:45 p.m.
W	Feb. 16	Ypsilanti West	Home	3:45 p.m.
M	Feb. 21	River Rouge	Away	4:00 p.m.
W	Feb. 23	Inkster	Home	4:00 p.m.
Tu	Mar. 8	Southfield Christian	Away	4:30 p.m.
Sa	Mar. 12	Romulus Middle School Tournament	Home	TBA
W	Mar. 16	Ypsilanti West	Away	3:30 p.m.

### BOYS' WRESTLING

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
W	Jan. 5	Ypsilanti West	Home	3:45 p.m.
W	Jan. 12	Ypsilanti East	Home	3:45 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 15	Romulus Invitational	Home	10:00 a.m.
W	Jan. 19	Oakley W. Best	Home	4:00 p.m.
W	Jan. 26	Bessie Hoffman	Away	4:00 p.m.
Sa	Feb. 5	Jefferson Invitational	Away	TBA
Tu	Feb. 8	Dexter	Home	4:00 p.m.

## ROMULUS HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS SCHEDULES, 1993-1994

### BOYS' BASKETBALL

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Tu	Dec. 7	Adrian	Home	5:30 p.m.
F	Dec. 10	Taylor Truman	Home	5:30 p.m.
Tu	Dec. 14	Bishop Borgess	Home	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Dec. 18	Christmas Tournament	Home	6:00 p.m.
M	Dec. 20	Christmas Tournament	Home	5:00 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 4	Woodhaven	Away	5:30 p.m.
F	Jan. 7	Adrian	Away	6:00 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 11	Bedford	Home	5:30 p.m.
Tu	Jan. 18	Belleville	Home	5:30 p.m.
F	Jan. 21	Grosse Ile	Home	6:00 p.m.
F	Jan. 28	Highland Park	Home	5:30 p.m.
Tu	Feb. 1	River Rouge	Away	5:30 p.m.
F	Feb. 4	Ann Arbor Pioneer	Away	6:00 p.m.
Tu	Feb. 8	Ypsilanti	Away	5:30 p.m.
W	Feb. 9	Milford	Away	6:00 p.m.
Tu	Feb. 15	Lincoln Park	Away	5:30 p.m.
F	Feb. 18	Ferndale	Home	6:00 p.m.
Tu	Feb. 22	Willow Run	Away	5:30 p.m.
Tu	Mar. 1	Ann Arbor Pioneer	Home	5:30 p.m.
Th	Mar. 3	Ann Arbor Huron	Home	5:30 p.m.

### GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
W	Dec. 15	Melvindale/New Boston Huron (V)	N.B.H.	5:30 p.m.
W	Dec. 15	Melvindale/New Boston Huron (JV)	Home	5:30 p.m.
Th	Dec. 16	Gabriel Richard/Fairlane Christian	G.R.	5:30 p.m.
F	Dec. 17	Taylor Invitational (JV)	Away	3:30 p.m.
Sa	Dec. 18	Taylor Invitational (V)	Away	8:30 a.m.
W	Dec. 22	Romulus Holiday Invitational (JV)	Home	8:30 a.m.
Th	Dec. 23	Romulus Holiday Invitational (V)	Home	8:30 a.m.
M	Jan. 10	Redford Union	Away	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 15	Monroe Jefferson Invitational (V)	Away	8:30 a.m.
W	Jan. 19	Ann Arbor Huron	Home	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 22	Plymouth Salem Tournament (V)	Away	TBA
M	Jan. 24	Adrian	Away	6:00 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 29	Woodhaven Invitational (V)	Away	8:30 a.m.
Tu	Feb. 1	Clarenceville	Away	6:00 p.m.
Sa	Feb. 5	Romulus Invitational (V)	Home	8:30 a.m.
Sa	Feb. 5	Woodhaven Invitational (JV)	Away	8:30 a.m.
M	Feb. 7	Ypsilanti	Away	5:30 a.m.
Sa	Feb. 12	New Boston Huron Invitational (JV)	Away	8:30 a.m.
M	Feb. 14	Adrian	Home	5:30 p.m.
Th	Feb. 17	Highland Park/Belleville	B'ville	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Feb. 19	Lincoln Park Invitational (JV)	Away	8:30 a.m.
Sa	Feb. 26	News-Herald Invitational (V)	Away	TBA

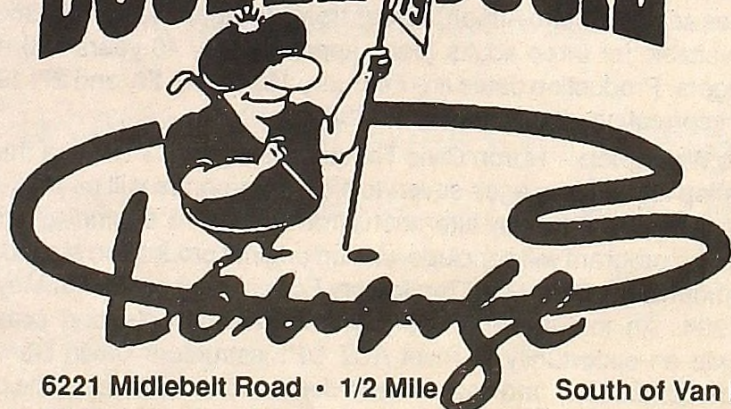
### BOYS' WRESTLING

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sa	Dec. 11	Belleville (JV)	Away	10:30 a.m.
Th	Dec. 16	Plymouth Canton/Wayne Memorial (V/JV)	Home	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Dec. 18	Plymouth Salem Tournament (V)	Away	10:00 a.m.
W	Dec. 29	Plymouth Salem (JV)	Away	10:00 a.m.
Th	Jan. 6	Ann Arbor Huron/Novi (V/JV)	Home	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 8	Lincoln Park (V)	Away	10:00 a.m.
Sa	Jan. 8	Southgate Anderson (JV)	Away	TBA
Tu	Jan. 11	Brother Rice/ Orchard Lake-St. Mary (V/JV)	O.L.	5:00 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 15	Romulus Middle School Invitational	R.H.S.	10:00 a.m.
Sa	Jan. 15	Lake Orion (JV)	Away	9:00 a.m.
Th	Jan. 20	Ypsilanti (V/JV)	Away	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Jan. 22	Romulus Royal Invitational	Home	9:30 a.m.
Sa	Jan. 22	Bedford (JV)	Away	9:30 a.m.
F	Jan. 28	Toledo Waite Invitational (V/JV)	Away	10:00 a.m.
Sa	Jan. 29	Toledo Waite Invitational (V/JV)	Away	10:00 a.m.
Th	Feb. 3	Ann Arbor Pioneer/Troy Athens (V/JV)	Home	5:30 p.m.
Sa	Feb. 5	Saline Team Tournament (V)	Away	10:00 a.m.
Tu	Feb. 8	Hazel Park (V/JV)	Home	5:30 p.m.
Th	Feb. 10	Rochester Adams/Davison (V/JV)	R.A.	5:30 p.m.

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## He Stretches To Please Customers

By Ray Tolman

Over the past several years, transportation by limousine has become more popular — and more in demand — for special events such as weddings, proms, newborn homecomings, and various other occasions. Not surprisingly, a recently opened Romulus business — Avenue Classic Coach Builders — is striving to meet some of that demand.

Located at 36567 Goddard in downtown Romulus, Avenue Classic is owned and operated by 42-year-old Mike Dunn. Prior to opening his business approximately two years ago, Dunn worked for 15 years as an automobile mechanic in his native city of Wyandotte.

In a recent interview, when asked to describe the services provided by his operation, the 18-year Southgate resident replied, "Basically, we convert cars into limos by cutting them in half and extending them. Although it's hard to pin down, I would say that it takes an average of about 90 days for one conversion."

Dunn noted that Avenue Classic is definitely a "specialty" business. From the moment a car enters his shop in order to be converted, all subsequent work is done entirely by hand.

At the time of the interview, there were about a dozen autos — all at various stages of conversion — in Dunn's building. However, a few of those classic cars were there for the sole purpose of being restored to their original condition.

For example, toward the front of the shop sat a graceful, bright-red 1978 Cadillac Eldorado that would, said Dunn, be finished within a week. The Cadillac's owner is 82-year-old Joe Lambert, who's been in the investment business since 1942, buying and selling real estate in Romulus and the surrounding area.

Discussing his love for antique automobiles, Lambert said, "For me, it's a hobby. Like they say, 'A man with a car is like a kid with a toy!'"

When the restoration project was complete, Lambert declared the Cadillac's appearance "like new," and praised the vehicle as a good, solid car — one in which he feels safe and secure.

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Also sitting at Avenue Classic was a 1963 Jaguar Mark X that Dunn is converting into a limousine. He has been working on the project, off and on, for a number of years.

Said Dunn, "When it's finished, it will be completely modified with a Ford Motor five-liter engine and drive train."

The elegant vehicle is 28 feet in length, he added, and has a rare "burl" walnut veneer interior. The ultra-luxury limousine will, when completed, seat eight passengers.

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Although he works most of the time, Dunn enjoys boating, water skiing, and other water sports when he can find some extra time and space. □

**I would like to say thanks to Avenue Classic Car for the restoration of my 1978 Cadillac Eldorado. What great folks and what a great job!**

**—Joe Lambert**

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## Historical Society Prepared for an Old-fashioned Holiday

By Pearl Varner, president, Romulus Historical Society

The Romulus Historical Society has been busy decorating the Romulus Historical Museum (located next to the Post Office) for the holidays. On display are several small trees which have been decorated to reflect different time periods, as well as a larger tree which will be adorned with authentic decorations from the 1940s. The Society is again collecting unwrapped presents for the needy children in our area, so everyone is encouraged to bring a gift to the Museum and place it under the tree. The Museum is open each Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m.

of Post, Smythe, Lutz, & Ziel, for completing the Society's annual reports to the State of Michigan and the Internal Revenue Service. His generosity and expertise in this matter are very greatly appreciated.

Currently, the Historical Society is seeking volunteers to perform various tasks at the Museum (call 942-2340 for information), as well as donations of vintage clothing from any time period. Please bring your donation to the Museum any Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. □

The City of Romulus will again host its annual Tree-lighting Ceremony in the Romulus Historic Park. The event will take place on Friday, December 3, at 6:30 p.m. Caroling and the arrival of Santa are two of the highlights planned for the evening. Afterward, Santa will meet with children at Wick School. The Museum will open its doors at 6 p.m. that evening for those who wish to browse. Kathy Williams, a local musician, will play dulcimer music from the eighteenth century for the Museum visitors. Come and join us for an enjoyable evening.

The Romulus Historical Society would like to thank Frank Smythe, CPA,

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## REGULAR MEETING, NOVEMBER 8, 1993

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, November 8, 1993, was called to order by President Kesner at 7:30 P.M.

Roll call showed all Members present. All Administrators were present.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Kesner.

### Approval of Agenda:

11/93/1 Moved by Wilkerson supported by King the Agenda be approved as presented by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

### Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

11/93/2 Moved by Berlenn supported by Hoffman the Minutes of October 25, 1993, be approved as presented. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Abstain: 1 (Wilkerson). Motion carried.

### Communications and Expressions from the Public:

Band-O-Rama concerns were brought up.

Audience discussion held with members of the Board regarding various NJROTC concerns stemming from lack of communication.

### Report of the Superintendent:

#### Personnel Actions

Dr. LeCesne recommended the following Personnel Actions for Board approval:

**A. Employment:** Robert Harris, Tech. Aide - Sr. High (Prob.), Eff. 10/27/93.

11/93/3 Moved by Patterson supported by Berlenn the Board approve the Personnel Actions as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Bills for Payment

11/93/4 Moved by Wilkerson supported by King the Board of Education approve the Bills for Payment as recommended by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Bond Refinancing - Finance Committee

11/93/5 Moved by Wilkerson supported by King the Board of Education adopt the resolution presented permitting refunding a portion of the 1992 Bond Issue. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

(The Board took a short recess at 8:45 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 8:57 P.M.)

#### Motion to Allow Environmental Testing - Wick and North Site

11/93/6 Moved by King supported by Hoffman the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and authorize the signing of the *Consent to Enter Private Property* form presented to permit the State of Michigan Department of Natural Resources to do extensive testing on the Wick and Junior High sites. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

11/93/7 Moved by Berlenn supported by Hoffman the Board instruct the Superintendent to notify the City of Romulus that the School District joins the City in opposing the installation of a toxic substance injection well in Romulus because of the Board's concerns about student and staff safety, future enrollment, property values, student bus safety and other matters related to installation of such a well. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Report on MASB Legislative Meeting

Members Langley and Berlenn reported to the Board on the MASB Rally in Lansing November 3, 1993.

#### Quality Incentive Resolutions

11/93/8 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Patterson the Board adopt financial incentives as required by the 1993-1994 State School Aid Act. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Core and Supplemental Reading Books Recommendation

No action - informational only.

#### Student Transfer - Taylor School District

11/93/9 Moved by King supported by Wilkerson the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the transfer of Tauneesha Polk to the Taylor School District for the 1993-1994 school year. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members: 1) Finance Minutes; 2) EMU Letter - Gooden/Isa; 3) Dennis Stoh Memo - NAFTA; and 4) Michigan Bell Letter - Fiber Optic Ring.

#### Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member Berlenn: Possible mechanics class at Senior High - Ford supports students with program leading to 2-yr. degree.

Member Berlenn: Expressed concern over citizen attendance at Board meetings.

Member Langley: Discussed construction concerns.

Member Hoffman: High School Choir was great at City Inauguration.

Member King: Question for Ms. Williams - school calendar did not have school name on it.

#### Executive Session - Negotiations

11/93/10 Moved by Berlenn supported by Patterson the Board convene in Executive Session for the purpose of negotiations. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 10:06 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 10:39 P.M.

#### Adjournment:

11/93/11 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 10:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Sandra F. Langley, Secretary  
Romulus Board of Education

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## Faust Encourages Contributors To "Know Your Charity"

"The Charitable Contributions Division of the Michigan Attorney General's Office can give consumers useful information on charities requesting contributions," State Senator William Faust (D-Westland) recently told *The Romulus News*.

Faust checked into the Division's services because the approaching holiday season often means an increased number of charities calling people to request donations. Faust explained that, by calling the Charitable Trust Division at (517) 373-1152, consumers can receive such information as whether or not a charity is licensed and what percentage of its funds go to management costs. Callers need only give the name of the charity to enable the worker to access computerized information on that charity.

The worker can then give the caller the information over the telephone.

"I want to encourage people to use this State service so that they have a better idea of how their contribution will be used. Unfortunately, the Charitable Services Division does not have an "800" toll-free number, so people should feel free to call my office and ask my staff to research the charity for them. We will be happy to call the division and get the information for people so that they do not have to pay for a lengthy long-distance phone call to Lansing," said Faust.

Senator Faust's office telephone number is (517) 373-7350.

You can write to Senator Faust at P. O. Box 30036, Lansing, Michigan 48909. □

## PROFILE: BEVERLY McANALLY

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When queried as to why she enjoys heading up Romulus' city government, McAnally replied, "It's interesting, as well as endlessly challenging. I like to see the good things that happen as a result of our efforts to help the people we're concerned about - the people of Romulus."

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McAnally is beginning her eleventh year as Mayor of Romulus - a comparatively long run for such a post. Consequently, it seems that many people tend to forget that she's a person; instead, they view her more as the leading cog in the City's governmental gear-wheel.

During the interview, however, it became apparent that McAnally is, indeed, a person who, like anyone else, has her joys and sorrows; a person who can be uplifted, or disappointed, by the actions of others.

For instance, this softer, more vulnerable side of McAnally was evident when she spoke about the various disappointments she has experienced as Mayor.

"I always try to devote as much time as I can for 'human' things like weddings, funerals, and small-business openings," she said. "Yet, sometimes - with a couple of things which haven't worked out - something goes wrong somewhere down the line, and then the good things that I've done don't matter. But I guess it just goes with the territory."

And, of course, it does. But it still can disappoint, and it still can hurt, when these things happen.

McAnally also spoke softly when telling how, after 36 years of marriage, she saw her late husband Earl through a long and painful bout with terminal cancer. And it was with gentle sorrow that she told of her son, Timothy Paul, who died at the age of two and is buried with his father in Romulus Cemetery. When she dies, she said, that's where she will be laid to rest, as well.

The fact that her tombstone is already there, in the Cemetery, with her name and date of birth carved into its stone, is perhaps the most telling reminder of her humanity. □



# The Stork Arrived

## Joel Connor Chandler

Sheldon and Gloria Chandler of Romulus, Michigan, are proud to announce the birth of their third grandchild – a boy, Joel Connor – born Wednesday, October 27, 1993, to their oldest son Aaron Chandler and his wife Andrea of Monrovia, Indiana.

Joel – who was born at Women's Hospital in Indianapolis, Indiana – weighed eight pounds, 13 ounces, and was 20 inches long at birth. □



# Obituaries

## Diane Lynn Banks

Diane Lynn Banks of Romulus, Michigan, died on Saturday, November 20, 1993. She was 19 years old.

Born in Dearborn, Michigan, on April 8, 1974, Diane graduated from Romulus High School in 1992 and worked as a food service assistant at Cater Air.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Linda Sue) Banks; three brothers, Kenneth W., Paul W., and Jacob

J. Banks (all of Romulus); and one sister, Danielle L. Banks (Romulus, MI).

Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 24, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Reverend Andy Pratico (Royal Oak General Baptist Church) officiating. Burial was at Michigan Memorial Park (Flat Rock).

Memorial tributes may be made to the Banks family.

## Clifford H. Collier

Clifford H. Collier of Romulus, Michigan, died on Tuesday, November 16, 1993, at the age of 64.

Clifford – who was born in Indianapolis, Indiana, on February 15, 1929 – married Loretta Rodd on July 31, 1948. The retired Chrysler Motor Company toolmaker was active in both the Masonic and Shriners clubs.

Clifford is survived by one daughter, Ms. Linda Collier (Westland, MI); one brother, Woodford M. Collier (Lincoln

Park); two nieces; and five nephews. His wife Loretta predeceased him on September 4, 1993.

Funeral services were held on Friday, November 19, at Community United Methodist Church (Romulus, MI), with Reverend J.D. Landis officiating. Burial was at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI).

Memorial tributes may be made to Community United Methodist Church.

## Mildred L. Dennis

Mildred L. Dennis of Romulus, Michigan, died on Sunday, November 21, 1993. She was 67 years old.

Mildred – who was born in Birmingham, Alabama, on May 8, 1925 – worked as a homemaker and was active in the Ladies' Missionary Club.

She is survived by three sons, Charles L., Robert E., and David B. Dennis (all of Romulus); four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Carroll (Grace) Wammack (Ala-

bama). Her husband, Benjamin G. Dennis, preceded her in death on January 9, 1993.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, November 23, at Calvary Baptist Church (Romulus, MI), with Reverend Marvin Hawbaker officiating. Burial was at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI).

Memorial tributes may be made to Calvary Baptist Church.

## Cecilia Mary Kerentoff

Cecilia Mary Kerentoff of Romulus, Michigan, died on Thursday, November 25, 1993, at the age of 88.

A retired practical nurse, Cecilia was born in Wilmont Township, Ontario, Canada, on August 4, 1905.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Antonia Corey (Dearborn Heights, MI); a nephew, Donald Corey (Troy, MI); and a niece, Mrs. Shirley (Delores) Teachout

(Dearborn, MI). Her husband, Anton, predeceased her on October 12, 1965.

Funeral services were held Saturday, November 27, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Father Alexander Wyrwal (St. Stephen Catholic Church, New Boston, MI) officiating. Burial was at Michigan Memorial Park (Flat Rock).

Memorial tributes may be made in the form of mass cards. □

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**PARKS MEMORIAL A.M.E.** – 11547 Grover Street / 941-0771 / Rev. Jeffery Baker, Pastor / Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship – 11:00 a.m. / Wednesday Bible Study – 6:00 p.m.

**PENTECOSTAL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH** – 35625 Vinewood Street / 728-1390 / Rev. Arthur C. Willis, Pastor / 548-5954 / Sunday School – 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship – 11:30 a.m. / Wednesday Bible Study – 6:30 p.m.

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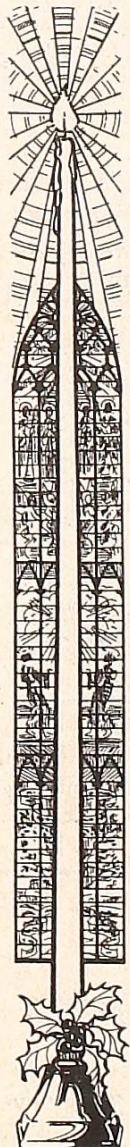
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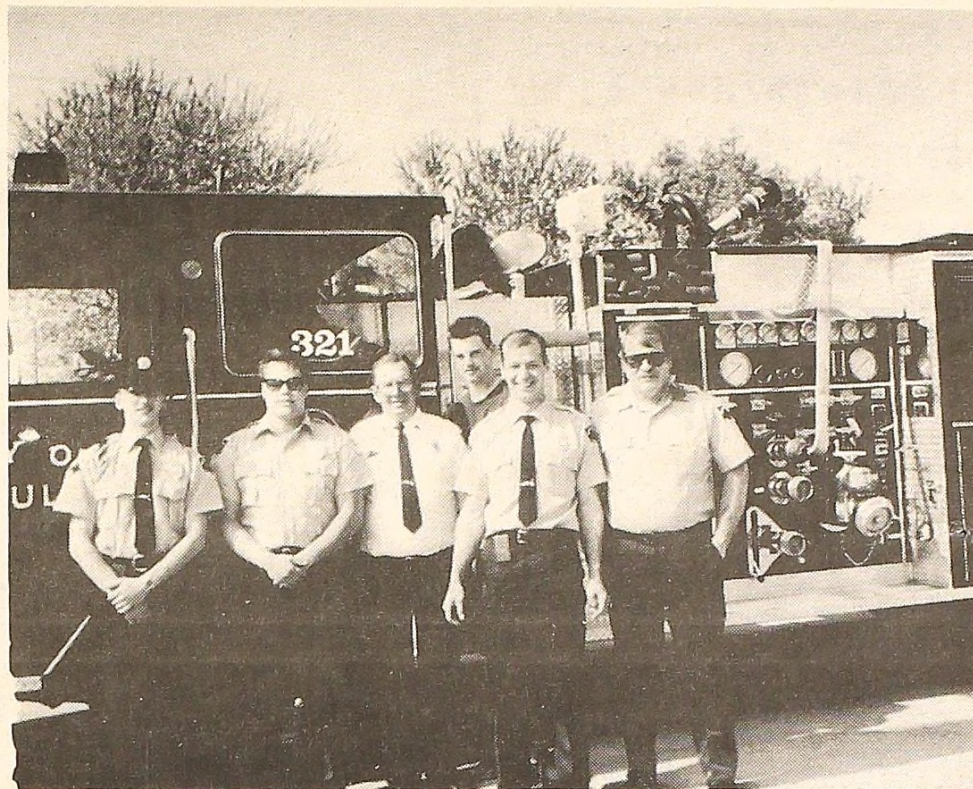
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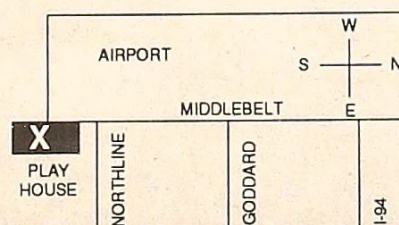
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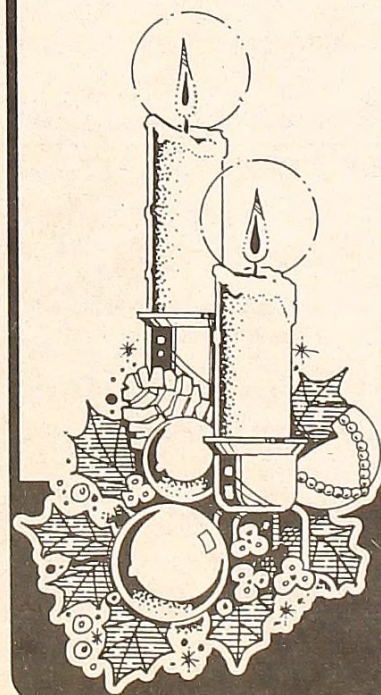
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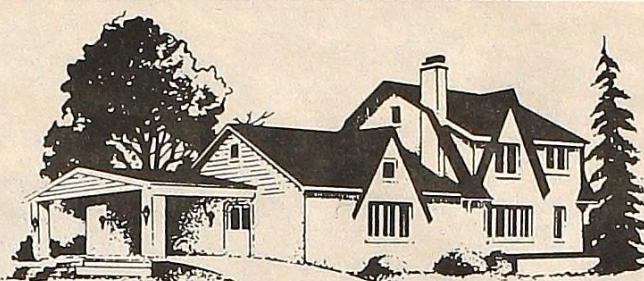
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